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Town Warrant.

STATE OF MAINE.

To David O. Trafton, Constable of the Town of Newport,
in the County of Penobscot.

GREETING :

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Newport, aforesaid, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at Meridian Hall, so called, in said town, on Monday, the eleventh day of March, A. D., 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, viz :

- ART. 1—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2—To choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing.
- ART. 3—To hear all reports made at said meeting.
- ART. 4—To choose three or more Selectmen.
- ART. 5—To choose three or more Overseers of the Poor.
- ART. 6—To choose three or more Assessors.
- ART. 7—To choose a Town Agent.
- ART. 8—To choose a Town Treasurer.
- ART. 9—To choose a Collector of Taxes.
- ART. 10—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to repair roads and bridges and to keep the same open and broken out in winter, and if so, how much; the same to be expended by Road Commissioners appointed by the selectmen.

- ART. 11—To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to use every effort possible to stop the sale of spiritous liquors in town and to prosecute all persons holding a United States license after April 1, 1901.
- ART. 12—To choose one or more Road Commissioners not exceeding three, and to determine their per diem compensation.
- ART. 13—To choose a member or members of the Superintending School Committee.
- ART. 14—To see if the town will vote to authorize its Superintending School Committee to unite with one or more other towns in the employment of a Superintendent of schools, if in their judgment it should be deemed best so to do, and to do whatever may be necessary to carry the arrangement into effect.
- ART. 15—To choose a Superintendent of Schools.
- ART. 16—To choose Sextons for the various cemeteries in town.
- ART. 17—To choose three or more persons to enforce town ordinances.
- ART. 18—To choose all other town officers required by law to be chosen at the annual town meeting.
- ART. 19—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money, and if so, how much, for the purchase of books and documents for the use and benefit of the Free Public Library, and for the payment of the running expenses thereof.
- ART. 20—To see how much money the town will raise to provide suitable furniture, lighting and heating apparatus for the New Town Hall as well as fuel for the same; and determine by whom the same shall be expended.
- ART. 21—To see if the town will vote to abate the Shaw Street Sewer Assessment assessed against the property of the Methodist Episcopal Church Society.
- ART. 22—To see if the town will raise a sum of money, and if so, how much, to purchase a town clock to be placed in the new church, of the Methodist Episcopal Church Society, which church said society is to build during the present year.
- ART. 23—To see if the town will vote to adopt Sections 25, 26, 27 and 28 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, the same being relative to the abatement of such nuisances as the municipal officers adjudge burnt, dilapidated or dangerous buildings to be.

In Art. 23—should read "Sections 25, 26, 27 and 28 of **Chapter 17**, Revised Statutes of Maine."

ART. 24—To see if the town will raise a sum of money, and if so, how much, either to build and construct a granite face wall on the northerly side of the long fill, so called, of its lower bridge in the village, or to make a dirt and gravel fill between said northerly side of said bridge and the dam of the Newport Woolen Company and under said dam according to plan and agreement herein described, to wit:

Copy of Agreement

Dam. Town of Newport vs. Newport Woolen Co.

The Town of Newport will build the west abutment to the main bridge so far north as Ellis Jones shall consider necessary, but not beyond the mud sill of the dam as now made. The work to be done, in manner and form, as Ellis Jones and W. A. Lewis shall agree. The Company to put in a coffer-dam: cut out and remove, at their own expense, enough of the dam to make the extension. All obstructions to be removed, by the Company, down to the earth. The face stone to be the same width as the abutment, i. e. not less than two feet. The Company to pay the town the sum of seventy-five dollars toward this part of the job. The town shall, on the easterly abutment of the short bridge, extend the wall, at the required height, westerly to the bulk-head of the Company's flume. This extension to be a firm, substantial stone wall, laid in cement. And on the southerly end of this abutment laid up in steps so that a stone flume can be joined. The town is also to construct a set of steps from the southerly end of the westerly abutment, of short bridge when they build it over. The town will remove, from the southerly side of road, all refuse stone and dirt, and properly place the same on the northerly side of the road and bridge, without expense to the Company. The town, on the northerly side of road, will fill in dirt, between the bulk-head of said Company's flume and the westerly abutment of long bridge, said dirt to cover the planking of the dam, to a height and in a manner to be agreed upon by said Lewis and Jones. The dirt under the dam to be puddled in and also the dirt between the dam and the bridge to top of dam, and the Company to furnish a man and hose, to do it, without expense to the town: the town to furnish the water. The Company shall pay one half of the expense of the extra dirt: getting it, and putting it in, including the purchase of the dirt. The payments to be made upon completion of work, from the Company to the town. The

Company referred to in this agreement is the Newport Woolen Co., and the town is the town of Newport. Dated at Newport, Maine, August 28th, 1897.

Signed as follows,

Newport Woolen Company,
by J. W. Manson, Clerk.
Inhabitants of Newport,
by James M. Sanborn,
William A. Lewis,
their selectmen.

- ART. 25—To see how much money the town will raise to pay town charges.
- ART. 26—To see how much money the town will raise for the support of the poor.
- ART. 27—To see how much money the town will raise to make and repair highways and bridges, ways and sidewalks, in said town, and determine how the same shall be expended.
- ART. 28—To see how much money the town will raise for the support of common schools.
- ART. 29—To see how much money the town will raise for the support of Free High Schools.
- ART. 30—To see how much money the town will raise to purchase school books.
- ART. 31—To see how much money the town will raise for school supplies and apparatus.
- ART. 32—To see how much money the town will raise for school house repairs.
- ART. 33—To see how much money the town will raise for insurance on school property.
- ART. 34—To see if the town will vote to have a hydrant put in on Railroad Street, so called, near the Judkins & Gilman Grist Mill, so known.
- ART. 35—To see how much money the town will raise to aid the G. A. R. in decorating soldiers' graves in the town of Newport, on the thirtieth day of May, A. D., 1901.
- ART. 36—To see how much money the town will raise for the support of the Fire Department.

ART. 37—To see how much money the town will raise to repair the town farm buildings.

ART. 38—To see if the town will raise a sum of money, and if so, how much, for the purchase of fence wire to take the place of rail fencing running along our several roads and highways, and as a gift to all owners of such fencing who will remove the same and construct on or near the site of the same a legally built wire fence.

ART. 39—To see if the town will vote, instructing its assessors for the fiscal year 1902, and their successors for nine successive years thereafter, to place such an assessment or valuation upon such wool and tanning factories and packing house or houses as shall be erected in said town by J. H. Weymouth, or his assigns, as shall be sufficient to pay the state and county taxes thereon and no more.

ART. 40—To see if the town will raise a sum of money, and if so, how much, to build and construct a public drain or common sewer to begin on North Street at the point where said street intersects High Street and thence to extend easterly along said North Street and to have its mouth or outlet in the Sebasticook river near the upper bridge, so called.

ART. 41—To see if the town will vote to accept a street on land of Orin R. Jose and Geo. M. Barrows, called Summer Street, leading from Elm Street to Park Street.

ART. 42—To see if the town will vote to give the use of the town hall to H. G. Libby Post, G. A. R., for its meetings. It agreeing to warm and light the same and to be under no expense to the town.

ART. 43—To see if the town will vote to build a sidewalk on North Street past the buildings owned by G. E. Wilson and connecting with the sidewalks on Water and Elm streets, the connection with Water Street to be accomplished by means of a stone crossing, and raise money for the same.

ART. 44—To see if the town will raise a sum of money, and if so, how much, to build a sidewalk on the easterly side of Water Street, running past the New Town Hall and connecting with the sidewalks on Main and Middle streets.

The selectmen will be in session at said Meridian Hall for the purpose of revising the list of voters, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of the day of said meeting.

Hereof fail not to make due return with this warrant with your doings thereon, on or before the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of March, A. D., 1901.

W. S. TOWNSEND,	}	Selectmen of Newport.
J. E. MARSH,		
LEVI T. MORRILL,		

Selectmen's Report.

The Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor respectfully submit to the inhabitants of Newport their Annual Report ending March 1, 1901.

Assessors' Department.

Amount of money appropriated at the last annual meeting, March 12, A. D. 1900.

Amt. assessed for state tax.....	\$1,533 41
county tax	695 17
Free Public Library.....	200 00
Town Hall repairs.....	200 00
town charges	3,000 00
support of poor	600 00
roads and bridges	2,000 00
concrete sidewalks.....	500 00
common schools	1,700 00
Free High School	350 00
school books	200 00
school supplies	200 00
school house repairs.....	50 00
new school building.....	1,000 00
painting bridges	100 00
road machine	250 00
G. A. R. Post.....	25 00
Fire Department.....	200 00
fence wire	200 00
Main Street sewer	400 00
pump and coal ashes of Newport	
Woolen Co. as per contract.....	819 00
• pump and coal ashes of Maine	
Condensed Milk Co. as per contract	285 60
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	\$14,508 18
Add overlaysings	293 52
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Total amount to be raised.....	\$14,801 70
We assess \$3.00 each on 462 polls	\$1,386 00
“ “ .028 per cent. on \$479,132.00	13,415 70
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Total amount raised.....	\$14,801 70

Selectmen's Department.

	Dr.	
Balance unexpended from 1899.....	\$770 23	
Amount raised by town for town charges	3,000 00	
support of poor	600 00	
Free Public Library.....	200 00	
repairs on town hall.....	200 00	
concrete sidewalk	500 00	
" " charged abutters on acct. of ..	245 58	745 58
painting bridges.....	100 00	
road machine.....	250 00	
Memorial Day	25 00	
Fire Department	200 00	
fence wire.....	200 00	
Main St. sewer.....	400 00	
" " chgd. abutters on acct. of ..	228 00	628 00
hired of Waterville Trust Co., Shaw St. sewer	500 00	
assessed abutters on acct. " "	200 00	700 00
use of pump and coal ashes of Newport		
Woolen Co .....		.819 00
use of pump and coal ashes of Maine		
Condensed Milk Co.....		285 60
overlayings.....		293 52
balance of new school building acct		59 95
		<u>\$9,076 88</u>

INCIDENTAL.

	Cr.
Paid H. J. Adams, 1 cord wood for lock-up	\$4 60
O. H. Emery, maintaining public watering tub at North Newport	3 00
E. R. Leach, services as ballot clerk,	3 00
" " maintaining public watering tub at East Newport	3 00
R. H. Libby services as moderator	1 50
W. F. Mathews for watching on nights of July 3rd and 4th; supplies for lock-up; feeding 64 tramps, and services with warrant to kill dogs	24 62
Hollis Brackett for watching night of July 3rd	
Board of Health	22 00

Freeman Cooper, services as ballot clerk	3 00	
Elbridge Ring " "	3 00	
R. A. Deering, labor on drinking fountains	4 80	
J. H. Davis for maintaining public watering tub near Camp Benson	3 00	
Paid Franklin Pushor, trucking lumber, pump and shavings to Town Hall	2 60	
D. C. Boyd, admr. for services of David Boyd as Moderator 1898	1 50	
Geo. M. Barrows, interest on school fund for year ending April 5, 1901	144 00	
W. S. Townsend, cash expended in railroad, telephone and telegraph fees	13 00	
	<hr/>	\$238 12

Wire.

Paid Judkins & Gilman for wire furnished by order of
Road Commissioner to the following, to wit:

Charles Libby, wire for fence	\$6 05	
John Wilson " "	2 57	
Lyman Horn " "	5 98	
A. L. Caverly " "	5 33	
D. O. Billings " "	3 39	
C. R. Grindell " "	2 99	
Joseph Caverly " "	12 48	
E. R. Leach " "	3 83	
Geo. McKenney " "	11 64	
Geo. Burton, wire schoolhouse fence	3 33	
	<hr/>	\$57 59

Cemeteries.

Paid H. S. Grindell, care cemetery Dist. No. 1	\$3 50	
W. W. Lawrence, care cemetery Dist. No. 3 & 10	5 00	
A. L. Gray, care cemetery North Newport	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$12 50

Printing and Stationery.

Paid John Humphrey, stationery for selectmen	1 75	
" " printing town reports,	34 20	
A. L. Oakes, blank books and stationery for assessors	7 52	
Geo. M. Barrows, stationery and blank books	4 75	
John Humphrey, printing notices	1 00	
Newport Pub. Co. " "	1 00	
E. F. Dillingham, blank books and stationery, '98,	4 05	
	<hr/>	\$54 27

Road Machine.

Paid C. M. Conant for Champion Road Machine	225 00	
D. W. Wheeler, freight on same and expenses to Bangor	6 58	231 58
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Free Public Library.

Paid H. M. Wardwell, books for library	200 00
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Water Acct.

Paid Newport Water Co., water for hydrants	335 00	
“ “ “ “ “ “	335 00	670 00
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Auditor.

Paid W. H. Mitchell, auditing town accts. 1899	5 00
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Memorial Day.

Paid Freeman Roberts, decorating soldiers' graves	25 00
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Interest.

Paid Mary F. Snell for one year's interest on Town Order No. 47 issued June 6, 1896	\$20 00	
Alma Harriman for two year's interest on Order No. 78 issued July 18, 1896, for 1899 & 1900	125 40	
Sarah J. Winnie for one year's interest on Order No. 80 of 1896	28 00	
J. Amanda House for one year's interest on Order No. 82 of 1896	36 00	
G. M. Barrows part payment of interest on town bonds for year ending Dec. 1, 1900	800 00	
		<hr/> \$1,009 40

Rent.

Paid W. M. Stuart for use of Meridian Hall for town meeting	\$5 00
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Sheep Killed by Dogs.

Paid J. B. Chadbourne, one lamb	\$3 00	
Lucy Murray, one sheep	4 00	
Frank Rowe, two sheep	8 00	
Hubert Turner, one sheep	3 00	
		<hr/> \$18 00

Births, Deaths and Marriages.

Paid Homer F. Benson for births and deaths 1897-1899	9 00	
F. M. Shaw for recording births, deaths and marriages	16 80	
H. L. Truworthy for births and deaths 1899 & 1900	2 00	
Homer F. Benson for births and deaths 1900	3 25	
		\$31 05

Fire Department.

Paid Alva Woodman, watching Saw Mill fire	\$2 00	
H. M. Wardwell for new hose	198 00	
		\$200 00

Coal Ashes.

Paid Newport Woolen Co. for use of pump and coal ashes	\$819 00	
Maine Condensed Milk Co. for use of pump and coal ashes	285 60	
		\$1104 60

Abatements.

Paid W. B. Marsh, abatement of taxes assessed 1898	\$45 30	
" " " " " 1899	71 32	
" " " " " 1900	20 70	
		\$137 32

Town Orders Paid.

Paid Waterville Trust Co., cash hired for sewer with interest	\$510 00	
Sarah J. Winnie for Order No. 80, dated Aug. 5, 1896, with interest on same	716 33	
		\$1226 33

Expenditures on Town Hall.

Paid Eugene Towner, labor, self 3 days	\$3 75
A. L. Dyer, labor self	13 25
E. D. Doble for lumber	4 00
Judkins & Gilman for materials	4 44
F. E. Adams " "	1 85
W. H. Savage for blacksmith labor	50
W. F. Mathews " "	15 00
Sumner Damon for labor	6 00
L. T. Morrill for labor and money expended	29 15

Paid N. H. Bragg & Son for iron.....	38-58	
C. A. Washburn for lumber.....	8 72	
Union Iron Works for iron	6 40	
C. O. Sturtevant for lumber.....	6 29	
Danvers Cram for labor.....	2 65	
J. E. Marsh for 3 days labor.....	6 00	\$146 58

Expenditure, Painting Bridges.

Paid D. C. Eldridge, labor self, 7½ days	12 77	
Fred M. Morrill " " 2½ " 	4 25	
Frank Nutt " " ½ " 	88	
F. W. Stuart " " 5 1-10 	8 92	
F. E. Adams for material.....	65	
B. C. Truworthy, paint and materials	39 83	
Judkins & Gilman for materials.....	75	
L. T. Morrill for labor 6½ days.....	13 00	
H. P. Wheeler for labor 6½ days.....	11 90	\$92 95

Amount Expended for Concrete Sidewalk.

Paid L. T. Morrill, labor self, 22 7-10 days	\$45 40	
L. T. Morrill, labor of man 4 days	5 00	
W. D. Lawrence, labor self, 7 1-10 days	8 88	
C. M. Loud, labor self, 2 days	2 50	
Chas. Small, labor self, 7 days	8 75	
Jeremiah Curtis, labor self and team, 10 2-10 days	30 60	
W. M. Furbush, labor self, team and man	33 15	
John B. Marsh, labor of man and team, 8 2-10 days	23 10	
Chas. Miller, labor self and team, 7 days.....	21 00	
Eugene Merrill, labor team and man, 10 7-10 days	32 10	
Albert Hunter, labor self, 8½ days.....	10 31	
Ora Patterson, labor self, 6 days.....	7 50	
Geo. Woodman, labor self, team and man, 8 days	32 50	
Joseph Hoit, labor self, 7 days	8 75	
W. M. Vinal " " 3 " 	3 75	
Fred Pierce " " 1 " 	1 25	
Delon Hersey " " 8 " 	12 00	
S. T. Farnham " " 5 1-10 	9 00	
Wm. Lawrence " " 	44	
Frank Nutt " " ½ " 	94	

Paid F. A. Wilson, labor of man and team, 7 1-5 days	21 50	
W. A. McKenney, labor self, 3-10	53	
H. P. Wheeler, labor self 3 8-10 days	4 76	
Thos. Loftus, concreting 521 1-9 sq. yds. of concrete at 50c and expenses from Bangor.....	262 55	
Fred A. Fernald, sharpening tools	2 15	
Judkins & Gilman for supplies	16 70	
J. L. Josslyn for 60 bu. sand.....	4 80	
J. H. Baker, stone curbing	129 04	
L. T. Morrill, services and expenses to Hartland	3 00	
Maine Central R. R. Co.	10 66	
J. L. Josslyn for repairing	1 00	\$753 61

Expenditure on Main St. Sewer.

Paid Joseph Josslyn, building man holes and catch basins.....	\$148 41	
Judkins & Gilman, to wit:		
462 ft. 10 in. pipe, at 32½c	150 15	
10 10 x 6 Y's	14 65	
1 10 x 8 "	1 79	
3 8 in. bends	2 70	
54 ft. 8 in. pipe for catch basins, at 22½	12 15	
2 man hole and 3 catch basin covers..	62 82	
2 ft. 6 in. pipe.....	30	
For tools and sundry material used....	19 93	\$264 49
C. O. Sturtevant for lumber	3 01	
B. C. Truworthy for tools.....	2 20	
Robert Ellis, use of stone lifter.....	1 50	
Fred Fernald, sharpening tools	1 06	
R. A. Deering for pails and dipper	64	
Joseph Josslyn for sand and bricks.....	1 78	
Harry Carson for repairing and sharpening tools	2 83	
Frank Pushor for trucking.. ..	38	
R. M. Goodwin for ½ cost of leather mitts.....	25	
Eugene Merrill, hauling gravel and scraping 1 day	3 00	
J. B. Marsh, man and team hauling gravel 2 days	6 00	
J. E. Marsh, ½ expense to Winslow for plans	90	
J. E. Marsh for fifty ft. pine boards.....	1 25	
Howard Durgin for 11 4-5 days labor on sewer	14 70	

Paid Wm. McKenney for 8 days labor on sewer	\$14 00
James F. Sharpe 10½ " "	11 55
Walter Reed ½ " " .....	.63
John Grindell 2½ " "	3 13
Alfred Grindell 6 " "	6 00
J. E. Marsh man, 2 " "	2 50
J. E. Marsh 14 " "	28 00
L. T. Morrill 1½ " "	3 00
Dennis Foster 8 2-5 " "	8 40
Wm. Lawrence 9 1-10 " "	11 38
Allie Lawrence 8 3-10 " "	8 30
Fred Pierce 4½ " "	5 63
Nehemiah Littlefield 5 " "	6 25
Wm. Good 4 " "	5 00
Harry Downs ½ " " .....	.63
M. L. Emery 4 1-5 " "	5 25
S. A. Hunt 6½ " "	8 13
Marcellus Lawrence 2 " "	2 50
Harry Clark 3½ " "	3 50
Harry Brooks 8 2-5 " "	8 50
Timothy Brooks 5½ " "	8 25
Joel Brooks 4½ " "	5 63
Robert Brooks 3½ " "	4 38
A. G. Thompson 2 " "	2 50
Joseph Hoit 1 3-5 " "	2 00
W. M. Vinal 2-5 " " .....	.50
Ira Getchell for surveying and drawing plan	10 00
Total cost of sewer and catch basins.....	\$627 94

Cost of sewers and catch basins..... \$627 94

Less estimated cost of catch basins, to wit:

54 ft. 8 in. pipe at 22½c..... \$12 15

3 8 in. bends..... 2 70

Catch basin covers..... 38 92

Brick and labor for same..... 91 82

Digging holes, covering and finishing same 26 35 \$171 94

Cost of sewer proper \$456 00

The same being the amount upon which
assessments to abutters is computed
for benefits received as provided by law.

Expenditure on Shaw St. Sewer.

Paid Joseph Josslyn for building man holes and	
catch basins,	99 83
Judkins & Gilman, to wit:	
416 ft. 10 in. pipe at 32½c	\$135 20
11 10 x 6 Y's	16 12
2 10 x 8 "	3 58
2 8 in. ¼ bends	1 80
56 ft. 8 in. pipe for catch basins, 22½c	12 60
3 catch basin and 1 man hole covers...	45 54
2 ft. 6 in. pipe	30
for tools and sundry material used.....	19 93
	235 07
C. O. Sturtevant for lumber	3 02
B. C. Truworthy for tools	2 20
Robert Ellis for use of stone lifter.....	1 50
Fred Fernald, sharpening tools	1 07
R. A. Deering for pails and dippers .....	.64
Joseph Josslyn for sand and brick	1 78
Joseph Josslyn for labor on sewer .....	.75
Harry Carson, repairing and sharpening tools	2 82
Frank Pushor for trucking.....	37
Ella Moore, storing sewer tools .....	.50
R. M. Goodwin for ½ cost of leather mlts.....	.25
Eugene Merrill for hauling gravel 2 days.....	6 00
Jeremiah Curtis, hauling gravel ½ day.....	1 50
J. E. Marsh, ½ expense to Winslow for plans.....	.90
J. E. Marsh for fifty ft. pine boards.....	1 25
Howard Durgin for 5½ days labor on sewer	8 13
Joseph Eldridge 1 1-10 " "	1 37
Frank Nutt 9-10 " "	1 13
Wm. McKenney 8 4-9 " "	15 40
L. F. Loud 1 3-5 " "	2 00
James F. Sharpe 8 4-5 " "	9 68
L. T. Morrill, man 8 3-10 " "	10 38
John Grindell 7 4-5 " "	9 75
J. E. Marsh, man 10 3-5 " "	13 25
J. E. Marsh 14 " "	28 00
L. T. Morrill 4½ " "	9 00

Paid John Corrigan for 4 days labor on sewer	\$5 00
Fred Tracy 1 " "	1 25
Dennis Foster 6 1-5 " "	6 20
Wm. Lawrence 6 7-10 " "	8 37
Nehemiah Littlefield 5 1-5 " "	6 50
Chas. Graves 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	4 38
M. L. Emery 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	3 13
S. A. Hunt 6 " "	7 50
Wallace Gray 1 " "	1 25
Ora Patterson 1 3-5 " "	2 00
Harry Clark 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	4 50
Harry Brooks 4 3 5 " "	5 00
Timothy Brooks 3 " "	4 50
Joel Brooks 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	3 12
Robert Brooks 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	3 12
Chas. Loud 2 " "	2 50
H. J. Cavenaugh $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	.63
Joseph Hoit $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	.63
Ira Getchell for surveying and making plan.....	10 00
Total cost of sewer and catch basins.....	\$547 12

Cost of sewers and catch basins..... \$547 12

Less estimated cost of catch basins, to wit:

56 ft. 8 in. pipe.....	\$12 60
2 8 in. bends.....	1 80
Catch basin covers	33 59
Brick and labor on same.....	76 20
Digging holes, covering and finishing same 22 93	\$147 12

Cost of sewer proper.....\$400 00

The same being the amount upon which
assessments to abutters is computed
for benefits received as provided by law.

Paid orders drawn acct. of Incidental Pauper Acct.	\$205 54
" " " Town Farm Expense Acct.	449 75
" " " Town Officers' Bills	736 27
Total expenditure	\$8,785 52
Balance unexpended.....	291 36
.....	\$9,076 88

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Expense Account.

DR.

To amount raised by town.....\$2,000 00
 balance unexpended 1899,69 56
 amount overdrawn..... 208 05

 \$2,277 61

CR.

By amount expended by D. W. Wheeler, Road Commissioner
 for 1900 & 1901.

Paid D. W. Wheeler, labor self 118 2-5 days at \$2.00 \$236 80
 " " horses 57 3-5 days at 2.50 144 00
 " " horses 55 1-2 days at 2.00 111 00
 " " 1 man 45 3-10 days at 1.25 56 62
 " 1,900 ft. plank at \$13.00 per M 24 70
 blacksmith work 1 00
 spikes 25

 \$574 37

Paid Joseph Williams, 50½ days labor self at \$2.00
 per day \$101 00
 Joseph Williams, 2 horses, 98 days at 2.50 per day 245 00
 " 1 man, 5½ days at 1.25 per day 6 87
 " 2 horses, 1 day at 2.00 2 00

 \$354 87

Paid Frank Williams, labor 30 days at \$1.50 per day \$45 00
 Silas Piper, labor 20½ days at 1.50 per day 30 75
 W. D. Crowell, self and horses as per bill 23 53
 W. A. Lewis " " 32 00
 A. L. Caverly, labor self, 167 hours 20 88
 " " " horse 13 00
 C. T. Miller " self 140 " 17 70
 " " " horses 71 " 14 00
 Wm. Davidson " self 69 " 8 62
 " " " horses 29 " 2 90
 Fred Stuart " self " 3 62
 Edward Caverly " self 30 " 3 75
 " " " self 20 " 4 00

Paid R. H. Libby	" self and horses per bill	36 89
Geo. McKenney	" self 80 hours	10 00
"	" horses 20 hours	4 00
R. S. McKenney	" self 41 "	5 12
J. R. Dresser	" self and horses per bill	13 40
Geo. Prilay	" self 90½ hours	11 81
"	" horses 64½ "	12 90
G. H. Caverly, self	62 "	7 73
A. J. Clark, labor self, 114 hours	.....	\$14 25
"	horses 29 hours.....	5 80
Theo. Hope, labor as per bill.....		97 08
Geo. Woodman, labor self, 72 hours.....		9 00
"	horses, 53 hours	10 60
Ausel Gray, labor self 35 hours.....		4 36
John Hatch, labor as per bill.....		10 82
D. S. Hilliker, labor self, 57 hours		7 39
"	horses, 35 hours	7 00
Geo. H. Burton, labor self, 133 hours		16 61
"	horses, 65 hours	13 00
J. E. Patten, labor self, 40 hours.....		5 00
"	horses, 29 hours	5 80
Charles Prilay, labor self, 75½ hours.....		9 70
"	horses, 11½ hours.....	1 96
O. H. Pratt, labor self, 164 hours.....		20 50
"	horses, 46½ hours	9 10
F. R. Coburn, labor self, 123 hours		17 44
"	horses, 84 hours	16 80
J. R. Clark, labor self and team per bill.....		18 71
A. L. Gray, labor self, 53½ hours.....		6 69
"	" 18 hours	1 80
L. E. Shepardson, labor self, 140½ hours.....		17 52
"	" 95½ hours.....	19 15
James White, labor self, 102½ hours		12 80
Frank Nutt, shoveling snow 12 hours		1 50
Wm. Weeks for labor self 16 hours.....		2 00
Frank Priest for shoveling snow.....		2 50
E. D. Pratt, labor as per bill.....		6 40
Geo. Babb, district agent, to breaking roads as per bill		\$15 70

Paid B. P. Patten,	labor self	30 hours	3 75
" "	" & horses	21 "	4 20
Ernest Lawrence	"	24½ hours	3 06
C. S. Gray	"	13 "	1 62
"	self and horses	14 "	2 80
Guy Mullen, labor self,	39½ hours		4 93
"	horses, 16 hours		3 20
C. B. Graves, labor self,	10 hours		1 25
David Libby, labor self,	85 hours		10 63
E. Withee, labor self,	4 hours		50
"	horses, 4 hours		75
W. B. Stacy, labor self,	6 hours		75
Geo. F. Knowles, labor self,	27 hours		3 35
"	horse, 13 hours		2 60
S. P. Ireland, labor self,	19½ hours		2 43
"	horses, 18 hours		3 60
C. E. Stuart, labor self,	32 hours		4 00
"	horses, 5½ hours		1 10
D. E. Folsom, labor self,	50 hours		6 25
Frank Ireland, labor self,	26 hours		3 10
"	horse, 9 hours		1 80
O. H. Emery, labor self,	18 hours		2 25
"	horse, 21 hours		4 20
G. L. Allen, labor self,	60 hours		7 50
John Morey, labor self,	32 hours		4 00
Jack Sharp, labor self,	32 hours		4 00
C. M. Loud, labor,	80 hours		10 00
H. W. Brackett, labor,	25 hours		3 12
L. D. Babb, labor self,	85 hours		10 60
"	horse, 36 hours		7 20
J. H. Davis, labor as per bill			9 99
N. B. Miles, labor self,	120 hours		15 06
"	horses, 87 hours		17 40
"	1 culvert		3 00
Fred Miles, labor self,	84½ hours		10 56
"	horses, 21 hours		4 20
Eugene Merrill, labor self,	106½ hours		13 28
"	horses, 78 hours		15 60
G. C. Corey, labor self,	24 hours		3 00
"	horse, 7 hours		1 40

Paid F. A. Hubbard, labor self, 54½ hours	6 81
" horses, 11½ hours	2 30
John Marsh, labor horses, 7 hours	1 40
J. J. Nutter, labor self, 141 hours	17 62
" horses, 51 hours	10 20
E. R. Leach, labor self, 62½ hours	7 81
" horses, 22 hours	4 40
T. J. Brooks, labor self, 39 hours	4 87
Shep Lawrence, labor self, 41 hours	5 12
" horses, 2½ hours	50
Mrs. L. R. Burrill,	
1 man, 60 hours	7 50
Fred C. Miller, labor self, 10 hours	1 25
W. W. Lawrence, self 39 hours	4 87
W. H. Graves, self 48 hours	6 04
" horses, 24 hours	4 80
Sumner Graves as per bill	11 04
H. E. Turner, labor self, 131 hours	16 37
" horses, 65 hours	13 00
J. E. Shepardson, labor self, 88 hours	11 00
" horses, 74 hours	14 80
Fred Caverly, labor self, 80 hours	10 00
" horses, 21 hours	4 14
L. T. Loud, labor self, 43 hours	5 37
" horse, 31 hours	3 10
Ozro Stevens, labor self, 22 hours	2 75
Lyman Horn, labor self, 8 hours ..	1 00
E. Doble, as per bill	7 25
T. R. McKenney, labor self, 10½ hours	1 28
" horses, 5 hours	1 00
W. M. Furbush, labor self, 23¾ hours	2 97
" horse, 20 hours	2 00
Isaac Tibbetts, labor self, 19 hours	2 37
" " horse, 8 hours	80
M. H. Downs, labor self, 7½ hours	88
" " " horses 3 "	60
F. A. Wilson " self 44 "	5 50
" " " horse 18 "	3 60
Hubert Crowell " self 6 "	75
E. R. Leach, labor highway and culvert	10 00
J. J. Nutter " self 61½ hours	7 68
" " " horses 23 "	4 60

Paid J. N. Johonnett, labor self 18 hours	2 25
R. C. Chadbourne " " 10 "	1 25
S. I. Gardiner " " 10 "	1 25
Joseph Hoit " " 10 "	1 25
Will Lawrence " " 10 "	1 25
Ora Patterson " " 10 "	1 25
Alonso Hersey " " 10 " at 15c	1 50
L. T. Morrill, labor 5 hours, crossing, at 20c....	1 00
" " " 20 " on bridge.....	2 50
" " " horses "	1 00
John Marsh, self and horses, hauling gravel 5 hrs..	1 50
Eugene Merrill, " " " " "	1 50
C. R. Grindell " 25 hours	3 12
Aaron Frost, labor blasting ledge as per bill.....	10 25
John H. Mills, breaking roads, putting up fences ..	2 75
Clifford C. Wheeler, working on snow 30 hours	3 75
E. F. Lunt, labor self, 20 hours.....	2 50
" horses, 20 hours	4 00
Alva Woodman, shoveling snow 12 hours.....	1 50
Will McKenney, labor snow and culvert 21 hours ..	2 62
Leslie Hubbard, labor on bridge, 10 hours	1 25
" horses, 3 hours	60
Leslie Nason, labor on snow, 5 hours	62
W. H. Blanchard, labor on highway, 24½ hours	3 02
" horses, 13 hours.....	2 60
W. A. Martin, labor self, 32 hours	4 00
W. H. Blanchard, 30 hours.....	4 50
Geo. F. Knowles, labor.....	6 50
E. R. Leach.....	3 81
S. T. Farnham	2 00
Frank Priest.....	88
A. C. Dyer, sidewalk	2 00
C. O. Sturtevant, lumber on highway	8 16
Alva Woodman	63
J. H. Baker for stone flagging.....	31 80
J. E. Marsh, labor	4 25
Jeremiah Curtis.....	8 25
D. C. Boyd	5 05
F. E. Adams	78
Judkins & Gilman.....	28 68
Franklin Pushor	2 02
D. C. Boyd	4 59
A. L. Caverly	11 07
G. L. Allen	7 12
W. M. Furbush.....	6 25
Total amount of expenditure.....	\$2,277 61

Department of Overseers of Poor.

PAUPER BILLS OUTSIDE OF TOWN FARM.

Paid H. L. Truworthy, M. D., for medical attendance, case of John Rich	\$26 00
H. F. Benson, M. D., for medical attendance, case of John Rich.....	2 75
Harry Carson for nursing John Rich	17 14
City of Lewiston, supplies furnished Jas. H. Hines	15 50
City of Auburn, supplies furnished Geo. W. Hines	57 00
L. T. Morrill, expenses to Lewiston and Auburn on account of James H. and Geo. W. Hines.....	10 30
H. L. Wyman for supplies furnished family of Simeon Brown.....	24 65
J. C. Adams, M. D. medical services furnished family of Simeon Brown.....	12 80
L. T. Morrill for expenses for trip to Brighton on account of Simeon Brown.....	5 00
J. W. Hawthorne, M. D. for medical attendance town's poor.....	25 00
Pauper bills paid by Newport and charged to Plymouth on account of Charles Lawrence family (Paid. See Treas. Report)	4 50
Pauper bills paid by Newport and charged to Brunswick on account of Geo. Corson and wife	4 90
Total of Outside Pauper Bills paid	<u>\$205 54</u>

REPORT OF TOWN FARM AGENT.

Received for stock and produce sold.

For milk	\$744 54
5 cows.....	174 00
7 calves.....	25 00
11 lambs.....	27 50
1 hog.....	13 14
wool and yarn	19 26
1 bu. potatoes	40
100 ft. pine lumber.....	2 50
sweet corn.....	80 85
bran sacks.....	50
keeping peddlers	4 65
rags and rubbers.....	53
24½ doz. eggs	3 85
367 lbs. beans.....	16 27
labor outside of farm	81 00
Total	\$1,193 99

Paid for meal and feed	\$364 26
groceries and supplies.....	255 26
furniture and farming tools.....	16 48
fertilizer and seed.....	51 82
dry goods and clothing.....	32 10
shoeing and jobbing.....	11 45
repairs	18 82
new bedding	15 92
repairs on buildings	18 95
boots and shoes.....	13 90
2 pumps and tubing	25 40
saw bill.....	10 20
use of horse	50
carding wool.....	34
pasturing sheep	7 50
cutting ice	4 30
3 pigs.....	6 50
3 cows	88 00
1 ram.....	4 00
use of bull.....	3 50
labor on farm.....	92 20
labor in house.....	13 50
cash deposited in treasury.....	139 02

Total.....**\$1,193 99**

Town Farm in Account with Town.

DR.

To amt. of personal property on farm Feb. 20, 1900,	\$1,392 60
cash paid by agent for stock supplies, labor and repairs.....	1,054 97
town orders drawn on account of farm.....	83 50
J. E. Marsh, services as agent.....	* 300 00
C. H. Morrill, premium for insurance on buildings	41 25
Total.....	\$2,872 32

CR.

By provisions and supplies.....	\$155 26
live stock... ..	451 00
hay and grain.....	149 20
farming tools.....	130 00
household furniture.....	225 00
wood and lumber.....	118 50
ice.....	20 00
cash due for milk.....	122 69
Total amount of personal property.....	\$1,371 65
By stock and produce sold.....	\$1,193 99
keeping tramps	14 00
balance against farm	292 68
Total.....	\$2,872 32

SUPPORTED AT FARM.

Charles McKenney, 52 weeks; Cordelia Peavey, 52 weeks; Rose McKenney, 52 weeks; Harry Philbrook, 52 weeks; Isaac Peck, 17 weeks; Edward McKenney, 26 weeks; Kate Whitehouse, 29 weeks; Ira Philbrook, 49 weeks; Abram Sanborn, 4 weeks.

* Contract with J. E. Marsh for services as Town Farm Agent and Selectman, \$350.

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS.

W. S. Townsend, Assessor, Selectman and Overseer of Poor	\$109 00
W. S. Townsend, Town Agent.....	30 00
J. E. Marsh, Assessor, Selectman and Overseer of Poor....	* 50 00
L. T. Morrill, Assessor, Selectman and Overseer of Poor.....	72 00
P. S. Littlefield, Superintendent of Schools.....	125 75
Geo. M. Barrows, Treasurer	25 00
David O. Trafton, Constable	12 70
F. M. Shaw, Town Clerk	10 00
Geo. S. Babb, School Committee 1899	8 00
A. C. Bradbury " 1899	8 00
A. L. Gray " 1900	8 00
Geo. L. Cole, Truant Officer	7 50
Aaron Frost, Collector of Taxes 1896	3 19
W. B. Marsh " " 1898	6 91
" " " 1899	43 13
" " " 1900	217 09
Total.....	\$736 27

*See page 26.

FREE HIGH SCHOOL FUND.

	DR.
Amount appropriated by town.....	\$350 00
" received from state	240 00
Balance due from state.....	125 00
	<u>\$715 00</u>
	CR.
By paid E. P. Dyer for teaching 36 weeks at	
\$66 $\frac{2}{3}$ per month	\$600 00
By amount overdrawn in 1899.....	115 00
.....	<u>\$715 00</u>

COMMON SCHOOL FUND.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1901.

Dr.	
To amount appropriated by town	\$1,700 00
" unexpended 1899	11 82
state, mill and bank tax	867 43
railroad and telegraph tax....	3 78
interest on school fund.....	144 00
amount received for tuition.....	16 00
	\$2,743 03
Cr.	
By amount paid teachers.....	\$1,558 40
for conveyance.....	648 92
janitors	106 50
fuel	165 58
tuition	270 02
	\$506 40
Amount of Common School money on hand	\$236 63

Teachers' Account.

Cr.

Wages paid Addie Miles for teaching spring term	
of Sub. Primary School 10 weeks	50 00
Arrie L. Pratt for teaching spring term of	
Rural School at N. Newport 12 weeks.....	90 00
Mildreth Goodwin for teaching spring term of	
Grammar School 12 weeks.....	90 00
Isabel B. Dyer for teaching spring term of	
Primary School	90 00
Flora A. Boyd for teaching spring term of	
Intermediate School.....	90 00
Cora A. Dyer for teaching spring term of	
Rural School at E. Newport.....	90 00
Addie Miles for teaching fall term of Sub.	
Primary School 10 weeks.....	50 00
Annie L. Littlefield for teaching fall term of	
Rural School, Gilman District 12 weeks	78 00

N. B. In the above credit summary, tuition should read \$27.00, instead of \$270.02, and the total should be \$2506.40, instead of \$506.40.

Paid Geneva Merrill for teaching fall term of

Primary School 12 weeks.....	90 00
Annie M. Crowell for teaching fall term of	
Intermediate School.....	90 00
Arrie L. Pratt for teaching fall term of	
Rural School at N. Newport 12 weeks.....	90 00
Cora A. Dyer for teaching fall term of Rural	
School at E. Newport	90 00
Mildreth Shaw for teaching fall term of	
Grammar School.....	90 00
Effie M. Horne for teaching winter term of	
Intermediate School.....	90 00
Geneva Merrill for teaching winter term of	
Primary School	90 00
Addie Miles for teaching winter term of Sub.	
Primary School 9 weeks	45 00
Mabel Huston for teaching winter term of	
Rural School at E. Newport	90 00
Annie L. Littlefield for teaching winter term	
of Rural School, Gilman District.....	75 40
Annie M. Crowell for teaching winter term of	
Grammar School	90 00

 \$1,558 40
Conveyance Account.

CR.

Amount paid J. M. Holbrook, conveyance spring term	45 00
Edward Caverly	30 00
J. R. Dresser	42 00
C. R. Grindell	43 00
Geo. H. Prilay	45 00
Geo. Woodman	55 00
J. N. Given	12 00
J. M. Holbrook, conveyance fall term	45 00
C. R. Grindell	53 00
Geo. Woodman	55 00
J. R. Dresser	42 00
Edward Caverly	30 00
J. M. Holbrook	45 00
J. W. Kimball	5 50
C. R. Grindell	51 00
Geo. Woodman	50 42

 \$648 92

Janitors' Account.

				CR.
Paid Walter Nason, care of school house, spring term	26	50		
Henry E. Prilay	"	"	"	2 50
Augustus Loud	"	"	"	4 00
Augustus Loud	"	"	fall term	4 00
Walter Nason	"	"	"	28 00
Lindley Caverly	"	"	"	2 50
Annie L. Littlefield	"	"	"	3 00
Geo. Gilman	"	"	winter term	3 00
Walter Nason	"	"	"	28 00
Augustus Loud	"	"	"	5 00
				———— \$106 50

Fuel Account.

				CR.
Paid C. R. Grindell, wood for Billings Hill School	18	25		
Alfred Grindell, preparing fuel	3	13		
Ora Patterson, preparing fuel	9	10		
Walter Nason, storing fuel	9	60		
A. L. Gray, wood for Gilman District School	13	50		
C. R. Grindell, wood for Billings Hill School	16	50		
A. L. Gray, wood and preparing same, N. Newport	11	50		
C. R. Grindell, 25 cords wood, Village School	75	00		
G. H. Burton, 3 cords wood, Gilman Dist. School	9	00		
				———— \$165 58

Tuition Account.

				CR.
Paid inhabitants of Corinna for tuition of scholars				\$27 00

School Books.

				DR.
To appropriation by town	200	00		
books sold	2	05		
				———— \$202 05
				CR.
By paid P. S. Littlefield, express on books	6	85		
S. E. Plummer	2	50		
A. C. Bradbury		90		
Ginn & Co.	151	70		
American Book Co.	40	10		
				———— \$202 05

School Supplies.

	DR.
To appropriation by town	\$200 00
supplies sold	4 95
	———— \$204 95
	CR.
Paid A. L. Oakes for school supplies	21 30
W. M. Stuart	4 50
Charles H. Morrill	24 00
A. C. Bradbury	21 00
Houghton, Mifflin Co.....	4 18
Thos. R. Shewell & Co.....	6 40
Educational Publishing Co	1 00
J. L. Hammett & Co.....	44 79
Zeigler Electric Co.....	35 80
Geo. M. Barrows	19 19
John Humphrey.....	2 55
Newport Publishing Co.....	3 65
Amount unexpended.....	16 59
	———— \$204 95

School House Repairs.

	DR.
To appropriation by town	\$50 00
ashes sold	2 75
Amount overdrawn.....	40 28
	———— \$93 03
	CR.
Paid Geo. S. Babb	\$4 00
Danvers Cram	6 50
Geo. H. Prilay	3 50
Charles Lawrence.....	10 00
L. M. Gray	3 50
L. D. Babb	1 50
C. M. Loud	3 00
J. W. Josslyn.....	9 10
Walter Nason.....	2 38
A. C. Bradbury.....	8 00
S. T. Stuart.....	2 25
A. L. Gray.....	5 02
Judkins & Gilman.....	16 25
R. A. Deering.....	5 22
A. W. Littlefield	2 43
Amount overdrawn 1899	10 38
	———— \$93 03

New School Building.

DR.

To appropriation by town.....	\$1000 00
bricks sold.....	11 00
	\$1,011 00

CR.

Paid O. M. Harrington for land	\$25 00
E. C. Hodgins for plan of building.....	15 00
A. C. Dyer for labor on same.....	391 87
T. F. Burrill, lumber	128 90
C. A. Washburn, "	250 76
G. H. Burton, fencing lot.....	13 37
I. W. Jones, labor.....	8 10
E. W. A. Rowles, seats.....	61 93
A. C. Bradbury, furnishings	52 12
A. L. Gray.....	4 00
Amount unexpended.....	59 95
	\$1,011 00

Treasurer's Report.

Receipts.

Cash in hands of Treasurer, March 1, 1900.....	\$1,442 91
from Jennie Stevens	11 00
State Treasurer, dog licenses refunded	76 76
sale of lots, Riverside Cemetery	57 00
F. M. Shaw, dog licenses 1900	80 00
license issued to H. M. Rich, auctioneer.....	5 00
Waterville Trust Co.....	500 00
State Treasurer, Free High School.....	240 00
“ “ to sheep killed by dogs	42 50
“ “ state aid	240 00
“ “ school fund and mill tax.....	867 43
“ “ railroad and telegraph tax.....	3 78
“ “ Free Public Library.....	20 00
interest on school fund to April 5, 1901.....	144 00
Dow Babb, brick sold	11 00
ashes sold	2 75
tuition from Mertie Fitts	3 00
“ “ Louida Simpson.....	3 00
town of Plymouth on account of Chas. Lawrence	4 50
tuition Stetson on account of Fred Welch.....	10 00
J. E. Marsh, Town Farm Agent.....	139 02
P. S. Littlefield, sale of books.....	2 05
“ sale of supplies.....	4 95
C. H. Grindell, sale of school house	6 00
Aaron Frost, due town as collector 1895 & 1896...	21 98
W. B. Marsh, Collector 1898.....	345 30
“ “ 1899.....	2,156 32
“ “ 1900.....	10,854 56
J. E. Oakes, stone, filling and grading 1900	17 60
J. B. Marsh “ “ “ 1900	7 85
R. A. Deering “ “ “ 1900	12 00
S. P. Judkins “ “ “ 1900	15 00
Judkins & Gilman “ “ 1900	17 00
A. C. Bradbury “ “ 1900	6 55
R. M. Goodwin “ “ 1900	3 00
H. M. Wardwell “ “ 1900	8 00

Treasurer's Report.

Concluded.

Cash, A. C. Bradbury, concreting 1900	9 88
S. P. Judkins	17 00
R. A. Deering	16 00
H. M. Wardwell	11 93
Judkins & Gilman	13 45
J. B. Marsh	11 71
R. M. Goodwin	17 87
Sarah J. Winnie, Order No. 80 dated Aug. 5, 1896..	700 00
received on account of Main St. Sewer	210 17
Shaw St. Sewer	113 00
Amount due Treasurer from town of Newport....	71 79
	<hr/> \$18,574 61

Disbursements.

Paid State Treasurer, dog licenses 1900	\$81 00
County tax, 1900	695 17
State tax, 1900	1,533 41
State aid, Nancy Glazier	96 00
Thomas McKenney	48 00
Geo. L. Cole	24 00
Olie J. Ellis	48 00
Wm. Mathews	24 00
Free Public Library	20 00
Town orders paid and returned	16,005 03
	<hr/> \$18,574 61

Due from State Treasurer for Free High School....	\$125 00
Joseph Bickford, Main St. Sewer	17 83
Mrs. Minnie D. Harvey, Shaw St. Sewer....	49 76
Methodist Episcopal Church, Shaw St. Sewer	37 24

\$229 83

GEO. M. BARROWS, Treasurer of Newport.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF SCHOOL FUND.

Town order dated Apr. 5, 1889, with int. to Apr. 5, 1901.. \$2,400 00
Newport, Me., March 1, 1901.

GEO. M. BARROWS, Treasurer of Newport.

Correct,

John Humphrey, Auditor.

Standing of the Town.

LIABILITIES MARCH 1, 1901.

Due trustees of school fund.....	\$2,400 00	
J. E. Marsh, services as town farm agent	50 00	
common school fund.....	236 63	
on outstanding Orders	299 21	
school supplies account.....	16 59	
town order No. 82, Amanda House,		
July 9, '96,	900 00	
interest on same.....	24 00	
town order No. 78, Alma Harriman,		
July 23, '96.....	1,567 50	
int. on same.....	36 71	
town order No. 47, Mary F. Snell,		
June 6, '96.....	500 00	
interest on same	15 00	3043 21
on outstanding bonds	21,000 00	
" " int. on same.....	250 00	
amount paid out by town treasurer in excess		
of receipts.....	71 79	
Ginn & Co. for school books.....	39 54	
		—————\$27,406 97

ASSETS.

Cash in hands of Collector, 1897-8.....	23 64
" " 1898-9	87 44
" " 1899-1900	197 77
" " 1900-1901.....	3,978 02
due from Maine Condensed Milk Co. for tax	
deed as per contract with town	580 88
tax deed of S. B. Thayer lot for 1895.....	9 15

Treasurer's Report.

Concluded.

Cash, A. C. Bradbury, concreting 1900	9 88
S. P. Judkins	17 00
R. A. Deering	16 00
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received on account of Main St. Sewer	210 17
Shaw St. Sewer	113 00
Amount due Treasurer from town of Newport....	71 79
	<hr/> \$18,574 61

Disbursements.

Paid State Treasurer, dog licenses 1900.....	\$81 00
County tax, 1900	695 17
State tax, 1900.....	1,533 41
State aid, Nancy Glazier.....	96 00
Thomas McKenney.....	48 00
Geo. L. Cole.....	24 00
Olie J. Ellis	48 00
Wm. Mathews.....	24 00
Free Public Library.....	20 00
Town orders paid and returned.....	16,005 03
	<hr/> \$18,574 61

Due from State Treasurer for Free High School....	\$125 00
Joseph Bickford, Main St. Sewer	17 83
Mrs. Minnie D. Harvey, Shaw St. Sewer....	49 76
Methodist Episcopal Church, Shaw St. Sewer	37 24
	<hr/> \$229 83

GEO. M. BARROWS, Treasurer of Newport.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF SCHOOL FUND.

Town order dated Apr. 5, 1889, with int. to Apr. 5, 1901..\$2,400 00
Newport, Me., March 1, 1901.

GEO. M. BARROWS, Treasurer of Newport.

Correct,

John Humphrey, Auditor.

Standing of the Town.

LIABILITIES MARCH 1, 1901.

Due trustees of school fund.....	\$2,400 00	
J. E. Marsh, services as town farm agent	50 00	
common school fund.....	236 63	
on outstanding Orders	299 21	
school supplies account.....	16 59	
 town order No. 82, Amanda House,		
July 9, '96,	900 00	
interest on same.....	24 00	
 town order No. 78, Alma Harriman,		
July 23, '96.....	1,567 50	
int. on same.....	36 71	
 town order No. 47, Mary F. Snell,		
June 6, '96.....	500 00	
interest on same	15 00	3043 21
 on outstanding bonds	21,000 00	
" " int. on same.....	250 00	
amount paid out by town treasurer in excess		
of receipts.....	71 79	
Ginn & Co. for school books.....	39 54	
		————\$27,406 97

ASSETS.

Cash in hands of Collector, 1897-8.....	23 64
" " " 1898-9	87 44
" " " 1899-1900	197 77
" " " 1900-1901.....	3,978 02
 due from Maine Condensed Milk Co. for tax	
deed as per contract with town	580 88
 tax deed of S. B. Thayer lot for 1895.....	9 15

Cash due from Newport Woolen Co.....	216 62
State of Maine on account of Free High	
School	125 00
inhabitants of Hartland	18 98
inhabitants of Plymouth	16 00
on account of Main St. Sewer	17 83
" Shaw St. Sewer.....	87 00
" concrete sidewalk	60 74
due from inhabitants of Brunswick	4 90
	<u>\$5,423 97</u>
Liabilities in excess of assets	<u>\$21,983 00</u>
	\$27,406 97

Interest bearing indebtedness, town orders excluding	
school fund order	\$29,67 50
Interest bearing indebtedness, bonds.....	<u>21,000 00</u>
Total	<u>\$2,3967 50</u>

W. S. TOWNSEND,	} Selectmen of Newport.
J. E. MARSH,	
LEVI T. MORRILL,	

Correct,

John Humphrey, Auditor.

Appropriations Recommended For 1901 by the Different Departments of the Town.

Current and incidental.....	\$3,000 00
Highways, bridges and sidewalks.....	2,000 00
Free Public Library.....	150 00
Furnishing Town Hall.....	500 00
Support of poor.....	600 00
Support of Common Schools	1,800 00
Free High School	350 00
School books.....	200 00
School apparatus.....	200 00
School house repairs.....	150 00
Insurance on school property.....	60 00
Decorating soldiers' graves	25 00
Fire Department.....	25 00
Repairs on Town Farm buildings	125 00
Fence wire.....	100 00
Public drain or sewer.....	500 00
Repair lower bridge. A granite face wall will cost about \$1500, while a dirt and gravel fill may not exceed \$500.	
	<u>\$9,785 00</u>

Appropriations Required by Law.

State tax.....	\$1,533 41
County tax.....	695 17
	<u>\$2,228 58</u>
Total, exclusive of bridge.....	\$12,073 58

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Dr.

Amount of money appropriated by town	\$200 00	
“ “ “ state	120 00	
“ “ raised from other sources.....	89 92	
		<u>\$409 92</u>

Cr.

Paid for books.....	\$334 89	
for fuel.....	8 00	
Librarian.....	52 00	
Balance on hand.....	15 03	
		<u>\$409 92</u>

There are seven hundred and thirty volumes now in the Library, exclusive of the Public Records and Documents donated by the state. A free library has been maintained at East Newport and one at North Newport. The library has been well patronized during the past year and the demand continually increasing.

Dinner at the New Town Hall.

Proceeds to go for the use and benefit of
FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

School Committee's Report.

Free High School.

The High School has been under the instruction of Prof. E. P. Dyer for the entire year. The Courses of Study have proved very satisfactory and have been followed with precision. Prof. Dyer has labored faithfully for the upbuilding and the interests of the school. One of the best proofs of his ability as an instructor, and of the success of the school, is the fact that other towns are sending their students here to be educated.

Length of terms, 12 weeks. Spring term,—whole number of scholars, 20; average, 18; visitors, 7. Fall term—whole number of scholars, 24; average, 22; visitors, 7. Winter term,—whole number of scholars, 26; average, 23; visitors, 8. Wages of Principal, \$66 $\frac{2}{3}$ per month.

Courses of Study may be had upon application to Superintendent of Schools.

Common Schools.

Village Schools.

GRAMMAR GRADE.

This grade has been under the care of Mrs. Benj. Shaw and Mrs. Will Crowell, both of Newport. Mrs. Shaw taught the spring and fall terms with her usual success and was succeeded by Mrs. Crowell in the winter. Under their able instructors, the scholars have been rapidly advancing, and the result must be highly pleasing to the parents.

Length of terms,—12 weeks.

Spring term,—whole number of scholars, 24; average, 23; visitors, 2. Fall term,—whole number of scholars, 27; average, 25; visitors, 4. Winter term,—whole number of scholars, 32; average, 29; visitors, 8. Wages of teachers, \$7.50 per week.

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INTERMEDIATE GRADE.

This grade was taught in the spring by Miss Flora A. Boyd. Miss Boyd is a teacher of high repute, and her work was beyond reproach. Owing to ill health she was obliged to resign, and was succeeded by Mrs. Annie Crowell, a teacher of equal ability, who, finding the work too hard, gave up the school to Miss Effie Horne.

Although we have been very unfortunate in having to make so many changes, the school has done good work and takes the lead in this grade.

Work of the highest standard cannot be accomplished where the teachers are changed every term, and we trust we shall be able to secure a teacher for the coming year, who will remain throughout the three terms.

Length of terms 12 weeks. Spring term,—whole number of scholars, 50; average, 42; visitors, 12. Fall term,—whole number of scholars, 39; average, 34; visitors, 2. Winter term,—whole number of scholars, 36; average, 32; visitors, 32. Wages of teachers, \$7.50 per week.

PRIMARY GRADE.

This grade was taught during the spring term by Mrs. Isabel B. Dyer. The fall and winter terms by Mrs. Geneva Merrill, a thorough and painstaking teacher. Mrs. Merrill has many from the Sub. Primary Grade, and it is here that we can see the great advantage of having a good, fit and thorough training before entering the Primary Grade. The work laid out has been faithfully followed, and this grade is far above the standard. There is a sad lack of charts and apparatus, but we trust these deficiencies can be supplied the coming year.

Length of terms, 12 weeks. Spring term,—whole number of scholars, 48; average, 45; visitors, 8. Fall term,—whole number of scholars, 41; average, 34; visitors, 8. Winter term,—whole number of scholars, 38; average, 35; visitors, 14. Wages of teacher, \$7.50.

SUB. PRIMARY GRADE.

This grade has been under the care Miss Addie Miles of Newport. Miss Miles is perfectly qualified for this grade and is wholly taken up with her work. One who visits this busy work-shop cannot fail to be impressed with the care and patience of the teacher and love of the scholars. We consider this one of the most important branches of the

school work, and we trust that there will be more money appropriated to make this room more attractive and convenient, to supply more apparatus and board room, and compensate the teacher for the work accomplished. The A class will be fully qualified to enter the C class of the Primary Grade this coming year.

Length of terms, 9 weeks. Spring term,—whole number of scholars, 32; average, 26; visitors, 6. Fall term,—whole number of scholars, 28; average, 20; visitors, 6. Winter term,—whole number of scholars, 30; average, 25; visitors, — Wages of teacher per week, \$5.00.

Rural Schools.

BILLINGS HILL.

This was taught in the spring and fall by Mrs. Cora Dyer of Etna, a teacher of many terms experience and one who has always met with the best of success. Owing to ill health Mrs. Dyer was obliged to resign. The winter term was taught by Miss Mabel Houston of Plymouth. The school is well graded and has made rapid progress throughout the year. Length of terms, 12 weeks. Spring term,—whole number of scholars, 30; average, 26; visitors, 7. Fall term,—whole number of scholars, 31; average, 26; visitors, 8. Winter term,—whole number of scholars, 26; average, 20; visitors, 7. Wages of teacher per week, \$7.50.

NORTH NEWPORT.

This school was taught the entire year by Miss Arrie L. Pratt of Newport. Miss Pratt is a hard working and painstaking teacher. Her work has been highly satisfactory to all, and we trust it has been fully appreciated by the parents. Owing to sickness in the school, it was closed for four weeks of the winter term, but is now under way and bids fair to do its full amount of work. Length of terms,—spring and fall, 12 weeks, winter, 10 weeks. Spring term,—whole number of scholars, 26; average, 24; visitors, 15. Fall term,—whole number of scholars, 13; average, 12; visitors, 0. Winter term, unfinished. Wages of teacher per week, \$7.50.

GILMAN DISTRICT.

Owing to the loss of school house in this district by fire there was no spring term. The scholars were transported to North Newport school. The fall and winter terms were taught by Mrs. Annie Little-

field of Newport, a young but successful teacher. This school is well graded and a good amount of work has been accomplished. The new school building is fully appreciated by the scholars, and great care has been taken to keep it clean and uninjured. Length of terms, 12 weeks. Fall term,—whole number of scholars, 12; average, 10; visitors, 5. Winter term,—whole number of scholars, 12; average, 10; visitors, 5. Wages of teacher per week, \$6.50.

With one exception the thirty-six week school year has been adopted, and found very satisfactory. The North Newport school, owing to sickness, was closed for five weeks, but is now in good working order. It is thought advisable to run the school eleven weeks, then have a short vacation, so as not to bring the spring term too far into the summer. A portion of the balance of the school funds unexpended will be used to pay for transportation and instruction in this school.

While we have been unfortunate in having to change teachers in some of the schools, on account of ill health, on the whole the schools have been very successful, and here let me say, that if the parents would visit the schools more and pay less attention to the petty complaints of their children, there would be less dissatisfaction with the teachers and schools.

Very respectfully,
P. S. LITTLEFIELD, Supt. of Schools.

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